

Baby Speed Demon Only One Point Behind Miss Detroit for Motor Boat Championship.

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188 DETROIT" had the heels of "Baby Speed Demon" in Challenge Cup races. Jack Beebe's Intest creation has a world of speed, and after chasing him around thirty nautical miles at Manhasset Bay sturday afternoon in the cup winner of last year, I'm in a position to know that the new contender for the Demon's honors is as swift, clean running, able a speed boat as ever rent after a championship trophy. To-day the Blackton "Babies," Demon and Reliance, will try to head off the flying Miss Detroit again. The points in the race now stand: Miss Detroit, 7; Baby Speed Demon, 6; Baby Reliance, 5. The winner of the Gold Challenge Cup is the boat that wine most points in three days of racing, and the number of points is decided by the number of boats that start. Saturday seven boats started. The record still belongs to Baby Speed Demon, for in the first race Miss Detroit failed to come within four miles an hour of the Demon's winning performance at Lake George last year, or of Baby Rellance's time in the first race.

MANHANSET BAY proved an ideal racing course, although it might have done better if there had been more deep water. The rush of the swift racing boats and the passing of several steamers kicked up a lot of rough water along the shallow places that made the racing boats jump tremendously. It was this that made Little Joker flip over and sink. Twice the Baby Speed Demon nearly followed the Joker's example while running over fifty miles an hour in the straightaways. Baby Reliance was some leaps that must have broked all high and broad jump records, and even Miss Detroit, which is supposed to be less inclined to jump than the others, pounded badly. In the Demon both Bernard Smith, the mechanic, and myself were thrown about so violently that before the truce was half over we had broken all the cleans built in to brace against, and what the leaping Demon did to us after that whon there was nothing to hold to would make the mauling handed Jack Johnson by Champion Joss Willard look like a tapping match in a Y. M. C. A. symmasium. a lot of rough water along the shal-

F troit bey who drove Miss Detroit, was nearly helpless in the last lap breathing the gas from the exhausts. But he gamely stuck to his wheel until the race was over. This was his first experience in a real race, although he has trained its were built and tuned up for

third in the first heat, are all boats built by Chris Smith at Algonac. But lowest "sticks."

Michigan to put his boats over 1, 2, 3 in such a race. Against him were the most famous builders and naval architects of the Eastern States. Some of the boats had more than double the power of the leading three, flaveral, supposed to be the "last word" in power, speed and soneral racing excellence, broke down even on the morning of the race, and were unable to start. Others were withdrawn because their owners, after spending thousands of dollars on the long run. I am convinced that the Federal League can never gain major recognition. Public interest is not there. The National and American the state of the fact that the United States Government is now fooking for a type of speed boat that can skip about at fifty miles an hour feeling as the swordish is to the whale. It would be as deadily to the submarine as compared to that of our rivals. Now I am convinced that can skip about at fifty miles an hour would be as deadily to the submarine as compared to that of our rivals. Now orders series rewards our labors or advertises our league. Playing to estimate the swordish is to the whale. It would be as deadily to the submarine as compared to that of our rivals. Now orders series rewards our labors or advertises our league. Playing to estimate the swordish is to the whale. It would be as deadily to the submarine as compared to that of our rivals. Now orders series rewards our labors or advertises our league. Playing to estimate the swordish is to the whale. It would be as deadily to the submarine as compared to that of our rivals. Now orders series rewards our labors or advertises our league. Playing to estimate, and continued to the conditions of the worder of slow toroped boats and crusters. The shell of a submarine is thin, and could easily be pierced by a one-pound projectile, which and the surface to avoid sinking.

IMPRESSIONS OF THE GOLD CHALLENGE CUP RACE-FIRST HEAT

Some MISS DETROIT, AS I SAW HER FROM THE BABY SPEED DEMON I BLACKTON ... AS USUAL GOT THE JUMP ON EVERY BODY AT THE START. A FEW SMALL CRUSERS ANCHORED IN THE WAY OF THE LITTLE JOHN TOOK A DIVE IN RACERS AND GOT A BATH EVERY TIME THEY WENT PAST

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TO-DAY.

Ten-Cent Baseball Is Admission of Feds' Weakness

Ty Cobb Thinks That Reduction of Prices Will Destroy What Confidence the Independents Possessed Within the Ranks.

> By Ty Cobb (World's Champion All-Round Ball Player).

HE Federal League has just come in for a new share of notoriety. It has adopted a diet of 10-cent baseball for its bleacher patrons. Those who have the interests of the great game at heart are somewhat concerned over the movement. Naturally the

players are not the least interested. I have been asked by hundreds of fans what I think of this most radical step and I have always replied frankly that I can see no sense in the innovation.

cent baseball I know not. But it looks to me like the steady measure ever since the independent enterprise day. Practically every well known was first launched. I interpret the movement as an professional golfer in the United

themselves. They are wise beyond their generation. You can no more 188 DETROIT. Baby Speed cram down their throats the logic that a legitimate show can be produced Demon II. and Baby Reliance at movie prices than you could make them take stock in the pretensions V., finishing first, second and of big league ball at prices lower than any that ever prevailed in the

third in the first heat, are all boats built by Chris Smith at Algonac. But Jack Beebe is the designer of the latest speed marvel, and was at the throttle in the race. He was mechanic on the Demon last year in the Cup yiening race at Lake George, and after that in other championship races that she won handily. There isn't anyther man in the country who can rival Jack Beebe at either designing or running racing boats.

THE second heat of the Gold Challenge Cup Race will be run on Manhasset Bay, starting at o'cjock this afternoon, and the final heat Tuesday afternoon at the same hour. As a leading boat may break down in either of these races, the function of the Cup decided until the last finish line is crossed.

Twas something of a triumph for a builder out in a neck of the Michigan to put his boats over 1. 2. Sin such a race. Against him were tab most famous builders and naval architects of the Eastern States. Some of the boats had more than double the power of the leading three Some of the boats had more than double the power of the leading three Some of the leading

Told in Shorts CHICAGO, Aug. 16.-Play prelim-What prompted the Federal League to adopt 10inary to the Western open golf championship tournament which will open last desperate chance to arouse interest in the league on Wednesday was started at the on the part of the public, which has been lacking in Glen Oak Country Club course to-

the championship competition. Six brothers, members of the Nelson family of Indianapolis, will strive to win the western championship. All are professionals in various clubs throughout the West. The sextet is composed of Lee, Wallie, Chick, Chess. come familiar with the course for composed of Lee, Wallie, Chick, Chess, Ervin and Dick. The Jolly family will be represented by three brothers—Jack, Alec and Robert.

News of Sports

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 16.— Walter D. Mansfield of San Fran-cisco is the winner of the champion-ship of the national Fly and Bait Casting Association, it was announced o-day. In the national tournamen which was concluded here yesterday he won the final event, heavy fig-casting, breaking with a cast of 124 feet the association's record of 117

CHICAGO, Aug. 16,-National crack shots, professionals and amateurs, numbering close to a thousand, to-day gathered on the lake front for the world's annual classic trap shooting, the grand American Handicap. The programme calls for 200 and 100 transfer and the special matches. oird events, with special matches.

WINDSOR ENTRIES.

RACE TRACK, WINDSOR, Ont., Aug.

FIRST RACE.—Fune \$600; three-year-olds; selling; five and a half furious.— Videt, 111; Lang-norme, 110; Anniety, 112; "Josefine Zarate, 100; Mountain Fearl, 107; "Dimity, 33; "Zindel, 106; "Jim Savage, 113; Maxim Belle, 107; Joy, 108; "Meelicka, 105; "Silla Jennings, 10, Also slightle, september More, 105; "Cardigan, 108; "Twilight, 100; Weior, 104. Jim. Savate. 11f. Maxim Belle. 107. Joy. 105. Meelicka, 103. Elia Jennings. 10. Also eligible. Sendings. 105. Twilight, 106. Western 106. Cardigan, 108. Twilight, 106. Western 106. Cardigan, 108. Twilight, 106. Western 106. In Canada: maiden joukors seven furforgs. Persper Sauce. 112: Lag. Spars. 108. Prince Rhapent, 112. Maximer Ness. 102: Event 117: Maximer Gainty, 106. Share Tide. 102. Currently. 92: Maximer 106. Share Tide. 102. Currently. 92: Maximer 106. Share Tide. 102. Currently. 92: Maximer 107. Michigan Handisa: all ages six furious. Issae Bay, 106. Chruils. 94: Reservas. 106. Share Edga. 108. Chruils. 94: Reservas. 106. Share Edga. 108. Chruils. 94: Reservas. 106. Shir Edga. 108. Hendisan: all ages six furious. Issae Bay, 106. Chruils. 94: Reservas. 106. Shir Edgas. 108. Hendisan: all ages six furious. Ica. Cartidle. 102. FOURTH INC. Cartidle. 102. Eases Handisan: for two year-olds. Its east a half furious. Hing Societies. 124: Jack Choud. 90. Gains. 100. Shomens First. 138. Reserve 102. Anita. 116. John Ir. 104. Milestone. 109. Jack Reserva. 108. First H. 147. Pures 2700. three year-olds and govard. scilling. Its attal a half turious. Insertator. 104. U. See II. 102. White Crosm. 104. See III. 102. White Crosm. 104. See III. 102. White Crosm. 104. Str. 106. Laria. 97; York Lad. 107. Should be and grant actions of the See II. 102. White Crosm. 104. Str. 106. Str. 106.

Favorites Win In

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 16.—Favor-ites won in the opening matches of the invitation lawn tennis tourna-ment on the Casino courts to-day. The tournament was arranged to take the place of the championship which were transferred from Newport to New York last winter. Many of the coun-try's leading players were entered. Summaries:

First round: Craig Biddle, Philadelphia, beat Preston Gibson, Newport, 6—0, 6—4, default,

J. C. Thomas, Newport, beat L. M J. C. Thomas, Newport, beat L. M. Thomas, Newport, by default.
R. Dana, Providence, beat L. Beeckman, New York, by default.
H. D. Harvey, Narragansett Pier, beat A. Lovibond, by default.
Second Round:
B. L. Law, Philadelphia, beat J. S. Cushman, New York, 6—8, 6—1, 6—4, 6—6.

Cushman, New York, 5-5, 6-1, 6-4, 6-0.
Richard Stevens, Hoboken, beat A.
L. Hoskins, Philadelphia, 6-1, 6-2, 4-1, default.
I. C. Wright, Boston, beat William Rosenbaum, New York, 6-1, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5.
Wallace F. Johnson, Philadelphia, beat R. Capers, Atlanta, 6-3, 6-2, 6-2,

beat R. Capers, Atlanta, 6—3, 6—2, series with the Reds. At first that 6—2.
F. C. Inman, New York, beat E. F. the Glants, but the develops that Fred Torrey, Utica, by default.

Dodgers to Beat Pirates In Fight for Pennant

Baseball Men Now Pick

point where something will to break this week or all bets Newport Tourney will be called off while the gang tands back and waits. The men who fix the odds are having a real run for their money. Last night the Dodgers, for instance, were favorites at 21/2 to 1 despite the fact that the Phillies still have a toehold on the top rung and Grover Cleveland Alexander is in excellent health.

On the other hand the Giants and Braves are tied for fourth choice with odds of 6 to 1 against them. Even the Pirates are 4 to 1 and would have spect for his judgment than ever. been favorites but for Saturday's Reds.

That double defeat, by the way. makes the margin between the first and last teams just ten games-the closest race the National League has GEORGE TEBEAU'S SUIT had since Al Reach and Al Spalding were in there pitching and the second basemen wore side whiskers.

The chances of the Giants, which appeared rosy just prior to their redark blue with the four successive defeats at the hands of the Pirates and Dodgers. They are now six games away from the lead though less than two games shy of third

Fred Clarke evidently had a strong hunch when he called off a double header with the Glants, as he says, so as to save up his pitchers for the

the heels of the Senators again, finish up their stay at the Polo Grounds this afternoon to make way for the Giants. McGraw and his men take charge to-morrow and will have for an opening bill the Dodgers—those fellows who have forgotten their real station in baseball and have taken up a notion that they can beat anybody.

While we have exhausted practi-cally all the resources at hand for explaining what's the matter with the Giants, there is a little hope left in the prospect of Davy Robertson get-ting back in the game and doing some hitting. Yes, there is another, come to think of it. Matty has decided to use a longer stride in pitching the baseball and there is no telling what will happen if he steps far enough. will happen if he steps far enough.

Charley Dryden after profound re

now within a short leap of the first division, the name of "Wild Bill" Donovan will be allowed to stand.

AGAINST FEDS DSIMISSED.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 16,-The suit brought by George Tebeau, owner turn from the West, have turned a of the Kansas City American Association team to restrain Federal League agents from making offers to his players, was dismissed in Judge John-son's Division of the Circuit here to-

> John S. Wright, attorney for Tebenu, agreed with C. C. Madison, one of the Federal League agents named in the suit, to drop action against Madison. The judge then said that as the other Federal League agents named were not present. It would be inadvisable for

RUBE BENTON WILL PITCH FOR GIANTS

Rube Benton of the Cincinnati Reds will join the Giants immediately.

Benton, who was under suspension,
was transferred to Pittsburgh. Garry

Herrmann, principal owner. Herrmann, principal owner of the Reds, says McGraw put in the first claim for the pitcher and he must report to the Giants. The mixup over Benton might have been due to the fact that Herzog had not been informed of the option held by McGraw.

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FUTURITY WON'T BRING OUT BEST TWO-YEAR-OLDS

Dominant, Bulse and Other Good Ones Not Eligible to Rich Event.

By Vincent Treanor.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 10. THIS year's Futurity which to to be run at Belmont Park Sept. 4, is not likely to have an important bearing on the two-yearold situation for the very good reason that few of the good youngsters are eligible to the rich event. Heretofore the Futurity winner has been regarded as the champion of the year. out it is an even bet now that whatver wins it this season will be easy picking for Jimmy Rowe's Dominant n subsequent races.

Dominant is not eligible for the annual classic, nor is Bulse, George Smith and several others who rate highly among the season's colts and fillies. This fact makes the Futurity more or less of an open race, unless White Hackle runs to the expectations John Madden had of him before he sold him to the Shoshone stable for

Madden has had hopes of seeing White Hackle win the big race as Novelty did in 1910. It will be remembered that Madden sold Novelty to Hildreth about a month before

that.

The ineligibility of Dominant, which up to date looks the colt of the year, doesn't leave Jimmy Rows without a candidate. The clever Whitney trainer has a Broomstick-Jersey Lightning colt, apily named Thunderer, which it is believed he is pointing for the Futurity. This colt, it is said, is very fast, but only Rows knows how he compares with Dominant.

Betting Men Have Installed

Brooklyn 2 1-2 to 1 Favorite

Because of Their Good Pitching Staff—Yanks Close to

First Division.

By Bozeman Bulger.

The free-for-all fight in the National League has reached a point where something will to a gallop in the last eighth, while those behind him were really stag-gering from their efforts to keep any-where near him.

Marsans' Case Being Heard In Court To-Day

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 16 .- Arguments on the application of Armande Marsans, Cuban ball player, who from the Cincinnati Nationals which prevents him from playing with St. Louis, were resumed in the Federal District Court here to-day.

Marsans contends that the Cincin-naticlub has violated the terms of the injunction issued on its application by not making it possible for him to play with that club.

with that club.

Attorney C. C. Madison, representing the Federal League, declared before Judge Dyer that the Cincinnaticlub was prevented by the rules of the National Baseball Commission from carrying out the requirements of the injunctions, which provided that Marsans could not play with the Federal League as long as Cincinnat: complied with its contract with him.

Madison said the National Commission prohibited a club operated under its rules from considering any player its rules from considering any player of an "outlaw club" until three years have elapsed since he was a member of the "outlaw club." Tigers Buy a Shortstop.

CLINTON, Ia., Aug. 16 .- Shortston Rert Ellison of the Clinton Central Association team has been sold to the Detroit American League Club, to be delivered at the end of the season.

MARTY CROSS VS. PRANKIE MADDEN VOUNG LIMBO VS. BUSHEY GRAHAM. Admission, \$1. Beauved Seats, \$2. Ringside at Box Seats, \$3.

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tralian heavyweight, are going to fight again. They were matched to-day to battle for ten rounds at a show to be brought off by the Spa

Coffey, the irish heavyweight, in Madison Square ing East after the bout for contests at the untrue that he had retained like Dorgan as his

to his record on Thursday night, for he is scheduled to meet Ai. Falser, the Western "has

Out in Denver, Cot., to night, there will be a battle fought between lightweights which should attract a large crowd of fight fans of that city. The fighters who will clesh are Joe Rivers of California and Stanley Yoskum of Denver, whom it took Charley Walts nineteen rounds to defeat. Rivers and Yoskum will battle for fifteen rounds before the Denver A. C. at 135 pounds, weigh in

Jack Dillon will don the gloves again to-m row night. This time he will throw his punches at Tom McCarty, the Montans light heavyweight, in a ten round bout at Lewiston, Mont. Mo.